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In response to the communication from the Patent Office dated April 20, 2004 on the above-referenced utility patent application, enclosed herewith are the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney, our check numbered 18827 in the amount of one hundred thirty dollars (\$130.00) total amount owed for a large entity, and a copy of the Notice.

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

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WITHDRAWAL OF PREVIOUSLY SENT NOTICE

The Notice of Abandonment mailed on 08/13/2002 was sent in error and is hereby withdrawn. A corrected Notice is enclosed. The time period for reply runs from the mail date of the corrected Notice. The Office regrets any inconvenience the error may have caused.

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

- Priority Document
- Copy of the International Application filed on 08/01/2001
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 08/01/2001
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 08/01/2001
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 08/01/2001
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 08/01/2001
- Priority Documents filed on 08/01/2001

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Applicant's response filed 08/01/2001 is hereby acknowledged. The following requirements set forth in the NOTIFICATION of MISSING REQUIREMENTS mailed 10/01/2001 have not been completed.

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- \$130 Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR) 1.492(e)) has not been paid in full.

Applicant is required to complete the response within a time limit of ONE MONTH from the date of this Notification or within the time remaining in the response set forth in the Notification of Missing Requirements, whichever is the longer. No extension of this time limit may be granted under 37 CFR 1.136, but the period for response set in the Notification of Missing Requirements may be extended under 37 CFR 1.136(a).

• \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.

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